DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

		Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice	...	7·47	6·61	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	...	13·66	14·95	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.				

Agricultural operations.—Raiyats are thrashing ragi and collecting manure.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Bangalore Taluk, and sugar cane in the Dodballapur, Devanhalli and Anekal Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in most of the taluks of the district and potato in the Devanhalli Taluk.

Probable outturn of the harvest.—

Sugar cane—8 to 16 annas in the Nelamangala Taluk.
" 12 to 16 do Anekal Taluk.
" 8 to 12 do Devanhalli Taluk.

Potato—8 to 12 annas in the Devanhalli Taluk.

Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Labour is available to the cooly classes. Food stocks are sufficiently available.

11. Except for cholera at Santemogenahalli Doddi in the Channapatna Taluk, Banavasi village in the Kankanhalli Taluk and plague in some villages of the Anekal Taluk and Closepet Town, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Planting of sugar cane, weeding of Vaisakhi paddy crops and milling of sugar cane are being carried on.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in all the taluks except Bowringpet, Malur and Chikballapur.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Sugar cane in almost all the taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; and paddy in the Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar cane are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for a solitary case of plague in the Kolar Gold Fields. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Sugar cane in parts of the Kunigal, Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk and paddy in parts of the Kunigal Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in parts of the Maddagiri, Gubbi, Kunigal, Tumkur and Sira Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 4 to 12 annas; paddy in parts of the Tumkur Taluk, yield 8 annas; and cotton and Bengal gram in parts of the Sira Taluk.

Condition of standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane, green gram, jola and cotton are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for cholera in the towns of Chiknayakanhalli, Kunigal and Tiptur and small-pox in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk, public health is good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops* are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in parts of the Malvalli and Mandya Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar and Yedatore Taluks, small-pox in one village of the Seringapatam Taluk and cholera in parts of almost all the taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar cane in the Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; kode paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; and paddy and sugar cane in the Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks, are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Except for cholera in parts of the Hassan, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk and plague in parts of the Hassan Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations have begun in the Channagiri and Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk, sugar cane seedlings are being planted in the Shimoga and Sagar Taluks and paddy is being transplanted in the Sagar Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane in parts of the Shimoga and Sagar Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk, cotton in the Honnali Taluk and Vaisakhi crops and paddy in the Sagar Taluk, are reported to be good condition.

Crops harvested.—Cotton is being harvested in the Honnali Taluk and pepper is being picked in the Sagar Taluk. Sugar cane is being milled in parts of the Channagiri, Shikarpur and Sagar Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Shikarpur Taluk, ague fever and small-pox in the Karur and Bharangi hoblies of the Sagar Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. "Foot and mouth disease" is reported to have appeared among cattle in the Channagiri and Sagar Taluks. They are reported to be healthy in all the other taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in the Chikmagalur Taluk and they are being ploughed for sowing in the Kadur and Sringeri Taluks.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in the Tarikere Taluk and paddy in some parts of the Mudgere Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane and kode paddy in the Chikmagalur Taluk; sugar cane in the Kadur Taluk; sugar cane and cotton in the Tarikere Taluk; pepper in the Kigga hobli of the Koppa Taluk and kode paddy, sugar cane and chillies in the Mudgere are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in the Chikmagalur Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; sugar cane in the Kadur Taluk; sugar cane and cotton in the Tarikere Taluk, yield 8 to 14 annas; and pepper in the Koppa Taluk, yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. A couple of good showers of rain is wanted for coffee and ploughing operations. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Plague prevails in some villages of the Kadur Taluk, cholera in a few villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk and small-pox in certain villages of the Tarikere, Kadur and Koppa Taluks. Otherwise public health is generally good.

12. "Foot and mouth disease" prevails in some villages of the Kadur and Koppa Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops* such as cotton, sugar cane, paddy, kadale, chillies, wheat and bili jola are reported to be in good condition.

Seed sown.—Sugar cane in the Chitaldrug Taluk only.

Crops harvested.—Cotton and sugar cane in the Chitaldrug Taluk, yield 8 annas; cotton and wheat in the Challakere Taluk, yield 12 annas; sugar cane and cotton in the Holalkere Taluk, yield 6 to 10 annas; and Bengal gram in the Jagalur Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available.

11. Except for a few cases of cholera in the Turuvanur village, Chitaldrug Taluk, and Tandaga village, Hosdurga Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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